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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Notice to Comply dated June 29, 2004, be extended for two months up to and including September 29, 2004.

Filed herewith is a Notice to Comply. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$420.00 fee to Deposit Account 18-1260. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 18-1260.

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